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1. ON MARCH 20 I MET WITH MFA PERMANENT UNDER SECRETARY EIGIL JORGENSEN TO MAKE POINTS SET FORTH REFTEL A ON USG PROPOSAL FOR SOUTH LEBANON. AS REPORTED EARLIER, JORGENSEN SAID THAT DANES ARE IN FULL AGREEMENT WITH US POSITION (REF B).

2. IN THEN ASKED JORGENSEN ABOUT THE FOREIGN MINISTER'S OFFER TO PROVIDE DANISH FORCES FOR A UN PEACEKEEPING FORCE (REF C). JORGENSEN SAID THAT "IF SECRETARY GENERAL WALDHEIM ASKED DENMARK TO CONTRIBUTE FORCES TO A UN PEACEKEEPING FORDE TO OPERATE IN SOUTHERN LEBANON, DENMARK WOULD DO SO WITHOUT HESITATION."

3. JORGENSEN THEN ASKED WHETHER I HAD SEEN THE LIBYAN AMBASSADOR LEAVE HIS OFFICE AS I WAS COMING IN. I REPLIED AFFIRMATIVELY. JORGENSEN SAID THAT THE LIBYAN HAD CALLED ON HIM IN BEHALF OF CERTAIN ARAB COUNTRIES ACCREDITED IN COPENHAGEN TO EXPRESS HOPE THAT THE EC WOULD ISSUE A STATEMENT CONDEMNING THE ISRAELI ACTION IN SOUTHERN LEBANON. JORGENSEN SAID THAT HE TOLD THE LIBYAN AMBASSADOR THAT UNDER THE PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES, AND ESPECIALLY IN VIEW OF THE UN SECURITY COUNCIL ACTION, SUCH A JOINT STATEMENT BY THE EC APPEARS TO BE PARTICULARLY UNTIMELY.
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